

LETTERS TO
THE HERALD

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TAFT AND ROOSEVELT.

Editor El Paso Herald:

Roosevelt had Taft elected as the very best man in all the country. Doliver said in Los Angeles that McKinley pronounced Taft to be the same. There must be much good in Taft. He will get the nomination on the first ballot, greatly due to Roosevelt.

If Roosevelt had remained quiescent La Follette might have got the nomination.

We have to rebuke the Roosevelt-McKinley bolting, vaulting ambition.

We do not love Roosevelt less for the good he has done, nor Doliver, nor Taft; but we love the Republican party more than all.

The Republican party is the progressive party of the country and ever has been. We must sustain, we must maintain this party in all its pristine purity.

Robert Ingersoll and Ulysses Grant were Democrats before the war of slavery for this love of liberty. After the war they became Republicans for the same reason. The reason that the Republican party is the only democratic party.

The Republican party will refuse to commit suicide at the dictum of a single honored member, who has become drunk on success. We want no effect, obsolete Democratic party.

B. I. Egerton,
Of North Carolina.

PERMANENT RIVER IMPROVEMENT.

La Mesa, N. M., June 12.

Editor El Paso Herald:

Your editorial, "The Big Dam Safe," is both timely and opportune, and reveals a condition not generally appreciated. Some years ago I was chief hydrographer Newell suggesting the river in the Mesilla valley be continued from the point west of Mesquite station along the foot of the west of San Miguel, La Mesa, Chamberino, La Union, and on to the pass above El Paso, leaving all the settlers in the Mesilla valley practically on the east side of the river. I received an answer from the chief engineer at Phoenix, Arizona, informing me the government would take the matter up when the surveys of ditches were completed.

I did not give out to the public the idea for the reason the public was not then a listening ear, as bridges across the river were then planned and carried out, all of them resting on a sand foundation. Now we are at the end of one periodic flood and have the promise of another before the waters are stored behind the big dam, and every bridge in the valley has met the inevitable, and either gone down the river or become so disabled as to render repairs foolish and a useless expense.

I am requested to give my ideas in the El Paso Herald and write this article in the hope some tangible and practicable plan may be adopted and adhered to that will be in line with the government idea of making this valley and the mesa lands adjoining the garden spot of the whole southwest.

First of all let a mass meeting be held in the lower valley, say at Anthony or La Mesa, and everybody turn out and appoint committees to ascertain first the plans of the government as to the policy of the reclamation service as to ditches and disposition of water; then join together citizens, railroad company and all hands, and let the engineers of the government, the state engineer and railroad engineers make joint surveys and confine the river in a straight line along the foothills west of the valley or along the right-of-way of the railroad or some more suitable place, preferably where the settlements were, no bridges or not more than one will be needed, and that on the road from El Paso to Deming.

Condemn the land where the river or big ditch runs and pay for it out of any funds, county, state, railroad, government, private, etc. The expense incurred by the railroad in maintaining the track from Mesquite to El Paso for the last 20 years would be more than pay all the expense of placing the river in a straight channel and keeping it there. No expense has been incurred north of Mesquite station. The expense of the river has been kept west of the valley and in a comparatively straight line.

It is reported the railroad will be raised for miles south of Anthony and hundreds of rock cars are now being used to prevent the track going out where the river is meandering all over the valley and coming to the railroad at right angles in its freaks at washing away fields, houses and valuable holdings. Then the item of bridges going out and being damaged yearly would go far towards keeping the river in its straight channel. Now all the farms and Three Saints ditch are menaced.

No sane man will longer advocate the foolish plan of bridging a changing river on a sand bed.

Yours for a permanent plan to control the river.

El Paso News.

Men's new belts for sale at Bryan Bros.

CLINT NEWS NOTES.

Clint, Tex., June 12.—Turner Hewitt, wife and little daughter, also Mrs. Duncan Manning, of El Paso, visited at the home of Mrs. J. F. Manning, mother of Mrs. Hewitt.

Mrs. H. B. Elliott has left for El Paso, where she was compelled to place her oldest son in a hospital. The little fellow had typhoid fever, and was thought to be doing nicely a week ago, but a sudden change for the worse caused the move.

W. R. Watkins was taken to an infirmary at El Paso for a number of treatments. E. G. Schairer has charge of the hay business during Mr. Watkins' absence.

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BURKE IS INDICTED
ON BIGAMY CHARGE

Man Arrested on Forgery Charge Must Answer to New Accusation.

Robert J. Burke, who was married to Hattie S. Pawkett in El Paso on June 1, and was arrested by the city detectives the following day on a charge of forgery, was indicted on bigamy by the grand jury Tuesday afternoon. It was alleged that prior to his recent marriage, Burke was a wife and child living in Sawtelle, Calif.

Following his arrest, a man and a woman, who asserted they had known Burke for some time, told the city detectives that Burke had a wife and child in Sawtelle, with whom he was living before coming to El Paso. Jesse C. Stansel, chief of the city detective department, wired the chief of police of Los Angeles to investigate the reported first marriage of Burke, which the defendant denied.

The chief of police of Los Angeles after working on the case, wired Stansel that Burke was married, giving the maiden name of his wife, and San Francisco as the place where the marriage ceremony took place. The message from Los Angeles went on to state that Burke's wife, Hattie S. Pawkett, was at present living in Sawtelle, and that the mother-in-law was willing to come to El Paso in case she was needed. Burke, it was reported, was unable to come on account of the expected arrival of an orphan child.

The case of forgery wherein it is alleged Burke secured \$65 from John Watson by forging a fictitious name to a check, is still pending in justice R. B. McClintock's court.

SURVEYORS ARE
NOW ON THE WAY

Surveyors to locate the interurban line in the El Paso valley left Dallas Monday evening, according to a letter received at the office of the Electric Railway company by superintendent G. G. Morse. C. W. Kellogg is expected to arrive here Saturday and M. M. Phinney, president of the company, will be here about June 20. As soon as the locating survey is completed and the right-of-way work has been finished, the final orders will be given by the president of the company for the beginning of actual construction on the line.

SOLDIER MISTAKES HOME
FOR SANTA FE STATION

A bedraggled, rain-soaked soldier visited the residence of F. D. Hadlock, Tobin place, Tuesday night about 10 o'clock, under the impression that he had reached the Santa Fe station. Anyhow that is what he said after he had been found on the steps of Mr. Hadlock's residence, after having failed to gain an entrance.

Miss Ruby Hadlock was the first to discover that something unusual was going on when she heard the soldier making an attempt to open the front screen door. After shaking the screen door for awhile, she said the intruder walked to the end of the porch, and she thought he had gone. However, when the light on the porch was turned on, the soldier was found seated at the edge. He was swinging his feet in an unconcerned manner.

The neighbors were telephoned to Mr. Hadlock being absent. When they arrived the soldier told them that he was on his way to the Santa Fe station, and thought that he had reached it. He said that he had heard any trains, and believed he had missed the one he intended taking. He was given a strong cup of coffee and directed to Fort Bliss.

PICTURE IN MOON WITH A
GIRL CAUSES HUSBAND TROUBLE

They were seated on a big slice of the moon, he and she, floating through the filmy clouds in apparent bliss. This was all in the picture they had taken one day when they were out together. There happened to be a wife, and the wife found the picture where the husband had inadvertently left it in one of his pockets. Then, instead of the filmy clouds, and the "moon girl," there were dark clouds, and an indignant wife. Her darks were plentiful as also were talks of separation. Thus the case came before justice E. B. McClintock, the original adjudicator of family troubles. The judge, with the assistance of constable Domingo Montoya, succeeded in patching things up and the man went home to his wife and two children. Latest reports are to the effect that they are living happily.

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ECK BUYS LOTS; WILL
BUILD A BUNGALOW

A Bungalow Also Is Being Erected by H. O. Darnell.

E. R. Eck purchased on Tuesday two lots at the corner of Octavia and Nevada street for H. O. Darnell. The price paid for the lots was \$500. Mr. Eck intends to erect a five room bungalow on the two lots later and is now having the plans made for the house. The lots were sold by the Perry-Kirkpatrick Realty company.

Darnell Builds Bungalow.

A five room bungalow is being erected at the corner of Octavia and Nevada street for H. O. Darnell. The house will be used by Mr. Darnell as a residence. It will cost \$1000. Jolly & Ware are building the house.

Work Progressing on Warehouse.

Work on the city warehouse at the intersection of Magoffin avenue and Thurlow street, is progressing rapidly. Tuesday morning the pouring of the cement for the second floor was started. The building, which will consist of a basement and one story, is expected to be completed and ready for occupancy the latter part of July. The city council at a recent meeting agreed to install hydraulic elevators in the building instead of the old style elevator run by hand.

Large cement bins will be put in so that oats and other grain can be taken care of in carload lots. The city has acquired other property adjoining the warehouse, and on this it is proposed to erect the stables and a modern blacksmith shop. All the buildings it was stated, would be fireproof.

A spur track is being run into the warehouse from the Texas & Pacific railroad, and this will permit of the loading and unloading of all cars of grain consigned to the city.

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The plaintiff alleges that he was thrown violently to the ground and suffered injuries to his spine, head and legs. Before the accident the plaintiff sets out that he had been earning in the neighborhood of \$3600 a year, but now that he is unable to work.

NINE CASES OF SMALLPOX
IN THE ERUPTIVE HOSPITAL

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BECOMING PEST IN CITY

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The detectives state that the chicken thief is one of the most difficult of all purloiners to deal with, and that unless there is cooperation on the part of the citizens, no hope can be entertained for apprehension.

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